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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.  
Our Ref: 037141.52695US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: **VALVE IN A FILTER**

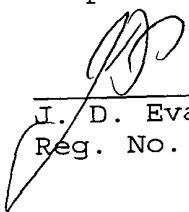
Enclosed are:

1. Application Data Sheet.
2. Specification, including 10 claims (10 pages).
3. 1 Sheet of Formal Drawings showing Figs. 1-2.
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 102 42 872.7, filed in Fed. Rep. of Germany on September 14, 2002.
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee				\$375/750 =	\$750.00
Total Claims	<u>10</u>	- 20 =	_____	x \$ 9/18 =	\$
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Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$140/280 =	\$
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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